



Hon. Aníbal Acevedo Vilá

House Minority Leader Popular Democratic Party

January 13, 2000

Mr. John R. Velásquez, Jr. Acting Central Enforcement Docket Supervisor Federal Election Commission 999 E Street N.W. Washington, D.C. 20463

Dear Mr. Velásquez:

On October 19, 1999, I filed a complaint before the Federal Election Commission (FEC) pursuant to 2 U. S. C. C. & 437g(a)(1). The respondent referred to in this complaint is Hon. Carlos Romero a member of the U.S. House of Representatives representing the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico since 1993.

As stated in the complaint filed, from information and belief, Mr. Romero violated one or more sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act, as amended and/or Federal Elections Commission Regulations. My complaint's docket number is MUR 4934.

In an effort to provide the Federal Election Commission with further information, I am including press articles published by the San Juan Star and El Nuevo Día on January 5th, 2000. These articles depict an ongoing probe, by the U.S. District Attorney Office for the district of Puerto Rico, the Federal Bureau of Investigations and the U.S. Postal Service on possible fraudulent conduct related to the events described in my complaint. The individual questioned in this part of the probe is Mr. Andrés Sánchez-Delgado, which in turn is the person who provided us with a sworn statement on the possible illegal political contributions in controversy.

Please advice me of the current status of the complaint of reference. We have received no notice from the FEC regarding the receipt of the respondent's answers to the complaint. Furthermore, we have not being notified by the respondent of any filing of such response.

If you need further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Aníbal Acevedo-Vilá House Minority Leader

Enclousures

EL NUEVO DIA / miercoles, 5 de enero de 2000

Testifica ante fiscal federal el ex chofer

Por Juanita Colombani

El Nuevo Dia

EL MEDICO Carlos Rodriguez Mateo, candidato por el Partido Nuevo Progresista a la alcaldia de Salinas, se encuentra en "serios problemas" con las autoridades federales, opino aver su ex empleado, An dres Sanchez Delgado, luego de reunirse por dos horas con un fiscal federal que investiga un supuesto fraude a la aseguradora Humana en el marco de la reforma de

"Me citaron de fiscalia, el fiscal (Jose) Ruiz, para entrepistarme sobre el CDT de Salinas, un traude y otras cosas relacionadas al doctor Rodríguez Mateo", dijo Sanchez Delgado tras concluir su entrevista con el fiscal, en la que dijo participaron un agente del FBI y un inspector del Servicio

"Ellos me preguntaron sobre todo lo que yo he dicho públicamente", dip, pero aclaró que las preguntas se concentraron en el aspecto de fraude a Humana y no en sus denuncias de que por instrucciones del medico entrego \$325,000 al ex secretario. de la Gobernación y actual secretario de Estado, Angel Morey, y al comisionado residente Carlos Romero Barcelo

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Carlos Rodriquez Mateo investigan la compra del Centro de Diagnostico. fratamiento de Salinas por parte del



galeno dono miles de dolares a funcionarios del PNP a cambio de

cancelado por sa aseguradora, que sa que el grupo medico ; su presidente detrandaron en mas de \$5 millones

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Valero insiste en la investigación

Por Magdalys Rodriguez

EL REPRESENTANTE del Partido Popular Democto tro (1995), cualtermo Valero, duo aver que aprovecada el cambio de secretario del Departamento de Juscala para soficirar una investigación sobre las denuncias en torno a las ventas de hospitales.

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Valero, quien es representante del area de Saimas, Guavama y Santa Isabel-dijo que el recomendo al ex secretario de Justicia, Jose Fuentes Agostini, que dieta inmunidad a Andrés Sanchez, quien denunció una venta le influencias en la lidguiscot (les l'entro de Dia fico (fracamiento «D) le Santias que fico (2.7 "No se e na dado seriedas (1935) synto (dia Va

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nformation was provided by New Progressive en. Kenneth McClintock after a meeting Tuesas also attended by Office of Management and is Covernment and Federal Affairs Committee, Director Jorge Aponte and 911 Emergency Sysector Miguel Santini,

tock explained that the government could sue es who knowingly sold computers to the govthat did not recognize the year 2000, even he systems could have been updated which ave saved the government millions it had to correct its systems.

commended to agencies a year ago to keep a vidence of what the government was doing so Justice Department can determine whether a ion to recoup some of the money from firms nator said that some companies, like Apple saw that this could happen," McClintock said. " Inc., have been manufacturing Y2K compliuters since the 1980s.

said he has a 1984 Apple computer that made transition from 1999 to 2000 and McClintock it the 1994 Macintosh at his office was also pliant

IB and the Senate government committee plan reports to the Justice Department so it can ve discussed was whether [the millennium bug could have been foreseen or not by the firms, the next course of action.

Aponte nor McClintock named any specific

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Sen. Kenneth McClintock,

New Progressive Party

photo, said the govern-

STAR file pricto

Feds grill Sánchez Delgado on Medsur case

By STAR Staff

who charged last year that he gave Andres Sánchez Delgado, the man \$325,000 to two top New Progressive Party officials on behalf of his day by federal authorities in a former boss, was questioned Tuesprobe into the Medsur clinic.

Federal authorities are investigating allegations that Medsur, located in Salinas, allegedly defrauded Humana of \$5 million, Sánchez Delgado said Tuesday.

"They asked me if I knew how the fraud was committed," he said. Sánchez Delgado said he was questioned for two hours by federal officials but he declined to

discuss the specific questions he Last September, Sánchez Delgawas asked

do in a sworn statement claimed he gave S140.000 to La Fortaleza Chief of Staff Angel Morey and \$150,000 to an aide to Resident Barceló on behalf of Medsur ownallegedly for their help in paving the way for the doctor to acquire the Diagnostic and Treatment Cen-Carlos Rodriguez Carlos Commissioner ter in Salinas.

a sexual harassment suit Sánchez Those allegations, contained in Delgado filed against Rodríguez Mateo, were strongly denied by Morey and Romero Barcelo.

Sánchez Delgado said he worked for Rodriguez Mateo as chauffeur and bodyguard, something the doctor has denied, but was fired for refusing to participate in money transactions.

Sánchez Delgado said he was not asked about the sexual harassment suit but about death threats he has received over his allega-

uals came looking for him at his Carolina apartment. He also says Last year, he said four individhe has received death threats over the phone.

"They asked about things I have seen and if I knew how Medsur billed Humana," he said.

nologies in government such as his proposed Digital Law, which would allow citizens to make transactions of talent was found that would allow for new techwith the government over the Internet. ages caused by the millennium bug, McClintock said there were no damages although he said the next three Although Tuesday's meeting was held to assess dam-

About the proposed Digital Law, Aponte said he sup-

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